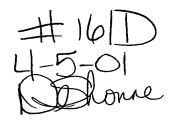
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Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully request the above application be amended as indicated below. Applicants hereby request examination of the application, in view of the amendments and the accompanying remarks.

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend Claim 1 as follows:

I. (Twice Amended) A flowable nondigestible oil composition comprising a liquid polyol fatty acid polyester having a complete melt point less than 37°C, and a crystallized solid polyol fatty acid polyester having a complete melt point of at least about 37°C, said solid polyol fatty acid polyester comprising a plurality of crystallized spherulites comprising a solid saturated polyol polyester within the liquid polyol fatty acid polyester,